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DOUBLING OF RAIL LINE BETWEEN BANGALORE AND MYSORE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the doubling of Railway line between Bangalore and Mysore is going on at slow pace;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government for early completion of work on the line?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a) to (c): On Bangalore-Mysore section, doubling of Bangalore-Kengeri (12 kms) and Kengeri-Ramanagaram (32 kms) sections have been taken up on 2/3rd cost sharing basis with the Government of Karnataka. The matching funds have not been provided by the State Government which is affecting the progress of works. Doubling of Bangalore-Kengeri-Bidadi (27 kms) is targeted for completion during 2005-06.

Work on doubling of balance length i.e. Ramanagaram-Mysore (95 kms) is not yet approved for which survey has been taken up.